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Service

Stop 0253, Room 2610-S
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20250-0253

BIDS DUE MONDAY, November 26, 2007

Date: November 16, 2007

CANNED MEAT, ANNOUNCEMENT LS-128, INVITATION NO.008:

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers pursuant to ANNOUNCEMENT LS-128 to sell canned beef, canned pork for use by recipients in Federal food and nutrition programs. Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities indicated below. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings and changes in recipient needs and program operations.

All offers must be in the format prescribed in LS-128 and must be received by **1:30 p.m., CENTRAL TIME, Monday, November 26, 2007.** Acceptances will be announced by midnight, **Friday, November 30, 2007.** Shipments must be made in two periods between **January 16 - February 15, 2008.**

Bids **MUST BE** submitted electronically via the internet. Offerors must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The internet address is: <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc100.exe>? Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call 202-720-2650 for assistance.

Inquiries about ANNOUNCEMENT LS-128 or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; Livestock and Seed Program; USDA, AMS, Stop 0253, Room 2610-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, D.C. 20250-0253. Telephone: 202/720-2650. **FAX: 202/720-9538.**

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ANNOUNCEMENT : LS128
INVITATION : 008
COMM GROUP : 24 MEAT, MISC PRODUCTS
COMM TYPE : 15 BEEF, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 25 24/24 OZ CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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SHIPPING PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08

001	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS VESSEL	72,000 PUERTO RICO
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SHIPPING PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08

002	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS VESSEL	72,000 PUERTO RICO
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 144,000

COMM TYPE : 60 PORK, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 25 24/24 OZ CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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SHIPPING PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08

003	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS VESSEL	72,000 PUERTO RICO
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SHIPPING PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08

004	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS VESSEL	72,000 PUERTO RICO
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 144,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 288,000

/s/Angela Thomas
Angela Thomas
Contracting Officer
Livestock and Seed Program

An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained
via the World Wide Web at
http://www.ams.usda.gov/lscp/beef/beef_purchaseinfo.htm or
http://www.ams.usda.gov/lscp/pork/pork_purchaseinfo.htm

The Commodity Procurement home page: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>